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In re application of: Philpott et al.
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Filed: May 20, 2002
For: FLEXIBLE MICROCHANNEL HEAT EXCHANGER
Art Unit: 3743
Examiner: Terrell L. McKinnon

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Prior application: **Philipott et al.**

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Art Unit: **3743**

REQUEST FOR FILING DIVISIONAL APPLICATION

**MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION
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Dear Sir:

This is a request for filing a

Divisional application,

under 37 CFR 1.53(b), of pending prior application Serial No. 10/151,703 filed on May 20, 2002 for:

FLEXIBLE MICROCHANNEL HEAT EXCHANGER

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

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Signature: Don Roman

1. (X) Enclosed is a copy of the prior application, including the oath or declaration as originally filed. The attached application papers are a true copy of prior application Serial No.: **10/151,703** as originally filed on **May 20, 2002**, and no amendments referred to in the oath or declaration as originally filed introduced new matter. This statement is made with the knowledge that willful false statements and the like so made are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under Section 1001 of Title 18 of the United States Code and that such willful false statements may jeopardize the validity of the application or any patent issuing thereon.

The copy of the papers of the prior application as filed are as follows:

- (X) 18 pages of specification including claims and abstract
(X) 4 sheets(s) of drawings
(X) 3 pages of declaration and power of attorney

2. (X) Enclosed is a replacement specification reflecting previously submitted amendments and/or additional formal amendments. No new matter is added by the changes.
3. () A statement (Declaration) claiming small entity status was filed in the prior application and small entity status for this application is proper and desired.
4. (X) Cancel in this application original claims **1-11** of the prior application before calculating the filing fee.
5. (X) The filing fee is calculated below:

CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE PRIOR APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED BY AMENDMENT BELOW

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| a) | Basic Fee | | | | \$ 770.00 |
| b) | Independent Claims | <u>1</u> | - | <u>3</u> | = <u>0</u> x \$ 86.00 = \$ 0 |
| c) | Total Claims | <u>13</u> | - | <u>20</u> | = <u>0</u> x \$ 18.00 = \$ 0 |
| d) | Fee for Multiple Dependent Claims | | | | \$290.00 = \$ 0.00 |
| | | | | Total Filing Fee | \$ 770.00 |
| | | | | Small Entity Status Reducing Filing Fee By Half to | \$ 385.00 |

6. (X) A check in the amount \$ 385.00 is enclosed.
7. (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required for this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
8. () A petition and fee for an extension of time has been filed in the pending prior application. A copy of the petition is attached.

9. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:
--This is a () continuation, divisional, () continuation-in-part, of Serial Application No. **10/151,703**, filed **May 20, 2002**--
10. The prior application is assigned of record to: **The Board of Trustees of the University of Illinois**. The assignment was recorded on **July 22, 2002** on Reel **13116**, Frame **0140**.
12. The inventors of the invention of the parent application, serial number **10/151,703** are **Michael I. Philpott, Mark A. Shannon and John C. Selby**.
13. An information disclosure statement is submitted herewith.
14. A preliminary amendment is enclosed herewith.
15. Please delete the name(s) of ^^^^ who is (are) not a (an) inventor(s) of the subject matter of the () continuing () divisional application.
16. The power of attorney in the prior application is to:

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- The power appears in the original papers in the prior application.
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